



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Frederick Gruner; Nazar Zaidi; Abbas Rashid; Mark Bryers	Confirmation No.	6231
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Examiner:	Kevin C. Harper		
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Title:	CROSS-BAR SWITCH INCORPORATING A SINK PORT WITH RETRY CAPABILITY		

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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2006, the period of response for which runs through August 17, 2006, please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begins on page 10 of this paper.